

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: OKABE, Hidetoshi) Group Art Unit: Unknown
Serial No.: N/A)
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For: METHOD FOR EVALUATION OF THE) Confirmation No.: Unknown
FUNCTIONAL STATUS OF THE GROWTH)
FACTOR RECEPTOR PROTEIN EXPRESSED)
IN MALIGNANT TUMORS)

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits of the above-reference application, please amend the application as follows.